

October 26, 2007

Attn: Regulations and Standards Branch (RSB)
Department of the Interior
Minerals Management Service
381 Elden Street
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RE:

RIN 1010-AD11

Pipelines and Pipeline Rights-of-Way

Request for Time Extension for Comments to OMB

TransCanada, as owner and operator of ANR Pipeline system, operates an extensive interstate natural gas transmission system, of which approximately 550 miles are offshore. This pipeline system receives natural gas from the major production areas of the Gulf Coast for transportation and sale in the Upper Midwest of the United States. The operation of this pipeline system is subject to the requirements of Title 49 Code of Federal Regulation Parts 190, 191, 192, 193, and 199 and Title 30 Code of Federal Regulations Part 250, Subpart J, regarding Pipeline Rights-of-Way

TransCanada is preparing comments per the notice at Volume 72, No. 191 FR 56442. TransCanada believes that this Rulemaking is significant and that the Administrative Burden has been underestimated, but it will take longer than the November 2 deadline to prepare complete comments. TransCanada therefore requests that the deadline for comments to OMB be extended from November 2, 2007 to the same as that for the rule comments due to DOI, January 31, 2008.

If you have any questions or require any additional information, please contact Mark Domke at (248) 205-7460.

Sincerely.

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